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Docket No.: 102689-0067  
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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re CIP Application of:  
Brian Branscomb, et al.

Application No.: 09/756,936-6759

Group Art Unit: 2681

Filed: January 9, 2001

Examiner: Not Yet Assigned

For: INTERNAL NETWORK DEVICE DYNAMIC  
HEATH MONITORING

REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, DC 20231

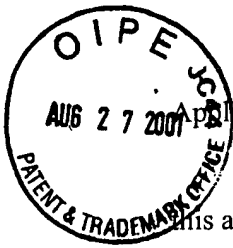
Dear Sir:

Applicant hereby petitions for a one month extension of time to and including September 11, 2001 to respond to the Notice to File Correction Papers mailed June 11, 2001. Our check in the amount of \$55.00 covering the fee set forth in 37 CFR 1.17(a)(1) is enclosed.

This petition is being filed in order to ensure copendency with application being filed concurrently herewith.

In the event that a further petition for an extension of time is required to be submitted at this time, applicant hereby petitions under 37 CFR 1.136(a) for an extension of time for as many months as are required to ensure that the above-identified application does not become abandoned.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any deficiency in the fees filed, asserted to be filed or which should have been filed herewith (or with any paper hereafter filed in



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this application by this firm) to our Deposit Account No. 141449 under Order No. 102689-0067.

Dated: August 23, 2001

Respectfully submitted,

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